# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# TOURISM AND CULTURE
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5053
ANSWERED ON:25.08.2000
CONSERVATION OF JAIL INSIDE SALIMGARH FORT CALCUTTA
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**Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether attention of the Government have been drawn to the news-item captioned ` Rare Papers on Independence` appearing in The Indian Express dated July 24, 2000;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken by the Government in this regard;

(c) whether the tiny jail inside the Salimgarh Fort where INA heroes of the freedom struggle were incarcerated is in great danger as no attention is being given for its maintenance and renovation;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard ?

## Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE(SHRI ANANTH KUMAR)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c) to (e) : Information is being collected.